# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

#### IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Serial No.:

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Method and Apparatus for Identifying a Missing Individual

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## **AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 02/05/2007, kindly amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

#### IN THE SPECIFICATION

Amend the title to read:

Method and Apparatus for Identifying a Missing Individual.

#### IN THE CLAIMS

- (1) Please cancel claims 1 through 21, in their entirety, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.
- (2) Please amend claims 22,26,28,29,31,32,33,34,35,38,41,42, as indicated beginning on page 2 of this paper.
- (3) Dependent claims 23,24,25,27,30,36,37,39,40,43,44, are resubmitted for consideration in light of the independent claims from which they depend being put into condition for allowance.

### IN THE DRAWINGS

- (1) Please replace drawings 1-4 with the accompanying drawings 1-4.
- (2) Annotated copies of the replaced drawings 1-4 are included to show changes.